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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In the application of:

William James Cook, *et al.*

Serial No.: 09/515,806

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AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated July 12, 2002 (Paper No. 18), time for response to which was set to expire October 12, 2002. A petition for an extension of time of three months until January 12, 2003, which is a Sunday, is attached hereto, along with the required fee.

Claims 1, 3-12 and 22 were rejected. Claims 13-21 and 23-30 have been withdrawn from consideration. Careful consideration has been given to the grounds for rejection, and the following amendment and discussion are offered in response. Reconsideration is respectfully requested.

Enclosed is the following Exhibit A: Version With Markings to Show Changes Made.